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PREFACE.



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All orders for seeds or plants should be addressed to the Superintendent of Botanic Gardens, Peradeniya, and should be accompanied with a remittance. Otherwise supplies will be sent by Value-payable Post.

F. A. STOCKDALE,

January 5, 1917.

Director of Agriculture.

SECTION I.

SHADE AND FINE FOLIAGE TREES.

Prices: in bamboos, 25 cents per plant; from beds, 20 cents per plant.

Adenanthera pavonina (Bead Tree): One of the red sandal-woods. A large, beautiful tree for shade and foliage. Suitable also for dry regions.

Artocarpus nobilis (Wild Breadfruit): A large, quick growing tree; very handsome, and of spreading habit.

A. integrifolia (Jak): A large tree, affording considerable shade, and yields a good timber. Fruits edible.

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- Cananga odorata (Ilang-Ilang): A large, quick growing tree, and yields "ylang-ylang" by distillation.
- Canarium commune (Java Almond): A handsome tree, with buttress roots. The kernels of the fruits are
- Castanospermum australe (Moreton Bay Chestnut): Moderate sized, handsome tree, bearing large, peculiar fruits. The seeds similar in appearance to chestnuts.
- Cassia siamea (Wa): Large, quick growing tree, of handsome appearance, and yields a useful timber; also a good flowering tree.
- Casuarina equisetifolia (She-Oak): A tall, quick growing tree, more adapted to the dry regions. Planted largely for fuel.
- Cyathocalyx zeylanicus (Kekala): A tall, quick grower, of graceful habit.
- Cynometra ramiflora: A useful shade tree, and of handsome appearance.
- Filicium decipiens (Pehimbiya): Moderate sized tree, of ornamental appearance, and known as the fern tree.
- Garcinia Cambogia (Goraka): A medium sized tree, of spreading and dropping habit. Very handsome when in fruit. The tree has medicinal properties also.
- Grevillea robusta (Silky or Silver Oak): A medium sized tree, and used considerably up-country as shade for tea. Yields a useful fuel.
- Mesua ferrea (Iron Wood Tree or "Na"): A moderate sized tree, of pyramidal shape, the young leaves being crimson in colour. Of slow growth.
- Michelia Champaca (Sapu of Champac): A tall evergreen tree, with sweetly scented yellow flowers. Affords good timber and fuel.
- Myristica laurifolia (Wild Nutmeg): A large tree, of spreading habit. Suitable also for dry regions.
- Myroxylon toluiferum (Balsamum) (Balsam of Tolu): A large, ornamental foliage tree, and useful for timber and fuel.

- Myroxylon Pereirae (Balsam of Peru): A large handsome shade tree, affording a useful timber. The tree yields a gum resin also.
- Parkia biglandulosa: A large, handsome tree, of pinnate foliage. The wood is very brittle.
- P. Roxburghii : A large, erect growing tree, and remarkably handsome; with a clear, smooth stem.
- Pithecolobium Saman (Rain Tree): Large tree of spreading habit, commonly planted on roadsides for shade purposes, and of handsome appearance.
- Pometia eximia (Gal-mora): A tall and straight, handsome tree, of spreading habit.
- Pterocarpus indicus (Padouk): A very large, handsome tree, of spreading habit, bearing yellow flowers and peculiar pods. A valuable timber tree.
- Sandoricum indicum (Santol): A large, erect growing tree, with pinnate leaves. The fruits are edible.
- Sapium indicum (Kiri makolu): Rather small, handsome tree, of willow-like habit. The juice is poisonous.
- Sterculia Balanghas (Nawa): A useful, ornamental tree, of moderate size, the seeds being poisonous.
- Tamarindus indica (Tamarind): A large, handsome tree; grows best in the dry regions. A useful timber.
- Terminalia Bellerica (Bulu): A large, handsome tree, affording a good shade.
- Thespesia populnea (Tulip Tree or Suriya): A medium sized tree, with numerous yellow bell-shaped flowers.

 Suited to the dry regions also.
- Trachylobium verrucosum (Copal Tree): A large, handsome, ornamental tree of Madagascar.

Price: in bamboos, 50 cents per plant.

- Diospyros Embryopteris (Timbiri): A moderate sized evergreen tree, with handsome dark green foliage. Source of the Tumika oil of India.
- Enterolobium eyelocarpum: A tall and handsome, featherleaved tree. Bears peculiar twisted pods.
- Heritiera littoralis (Looking-glass Tree): A large tree, affording dense shade, and of handsome appearance.

- Hura crepitans (Sand Box Tree): A large branching, ornamental tree, and bearing peculiar shaped fruits. The seeds contain a purgative oil.
- Ormosia dasycarpa (Necklace Tree): Medium sized, handsome tree, bears bright red seeds with a black blotch. Used for buttons, necklaces, &c.
- Pangium edule (Pangi): A large tree, with spreading head and large heart-shaped leaves. Bears large brown woody fruits.
- Swietenia macrophylla (Large-leaved Mahogany): A handsome, upright tree, with large pinnate leaves, and suited to the dry regions.
- Swietenia Mahagoni (Mahogany): A handsome, ornamental tree; useful for avenues. Yields an excellent timber.
- Tectona grandis (Teak): A tall, erect tree, producing the teak timber of commerce. Very ornamental when in flower.
- Vateria acuminata (Hal): A large and handsome tree, with spreading branches, and yields a useful hard timber.

SECTION II.

FLOWERING TREES.

Prices: in bamboos, 25 cents per plant; from beds, 20 cents per plant.

- Barringtonia speciosa (Mudilla): Medium sized tree, bearing large white flowers. Grows well in coast regions.
- Bauhinia purpurea: Small tree, bearing large, showy, pink to purple flowers. Of quick growth, and handsome foliage.
- B. triandra: Small tree. Very similar to above.
- Bombax malabaricum (Katu-Imbul or Red Cotton Tree):

 Large, handsome tree. Produces large, scarlet,
 fleshy flowers. Deciduous during flowering
 period of January to April.
- Brownca macrophylla: Moderate sized tree, with large, dense heads of rose-coloured flowers.

- Brownea grandiceps: Moderate sized tree, of spreading habit, and bears large heads of bright red flowers.
- Cassia grandis (Horse Cassia): Moderate sized tree, with deep carmine flowers. Deciduous during flowering season, February to March.
- C. nodosa: Fairly large tree, strikingly handsome when in flower. Bears bright pink flowers in profusion from May to June.
- Couroupita guianensis (Cannon Ball Tree): Moderate sized tree, bearing peculiar pinkish flowers. The fruits are large and round, 8 in. to 9 in. in diameter.
- Crescentia Cujete (Calabash Tree): Small tree of peculiar habit, and curious globular fruits of yellowish colour.
- Eugenia malaccensis (Malay Apple): Moderate sized, handsome tree, with crimson flowers. Also a useful fruit tree.
- Gliricidia maculata (Madre): Small tree of rapid growth, bearing pinkish purple flowers in profusion. Deciduous during flowering season of April and May. Also a useful shade tree.
- Kleinhovia hospita: Low branching tree, with pink and rosecoloured flowers. Grows well in low-country. Quick grower.
- Lagerstroemia Flos-reginae (Pride of India): Fairly large tree. Bears handsome mauve-coloured flowers. In flower the greater part of the year. Also a beautiful pink form.
- Lysidice rhodostegia: Large tree, of striking beauty, producing large masses of pink and rose-coloured flowers.
- Mesua ferrea (Iron Wood): Moderate sized tree, of pyramidal growth, handsome both in flower and foliage. Bears large white flowers in April and May.
- Millingtonia hortensis (Indian Cork Tree): A tall, erect tree, with sweet scented white flowers. Flowering periods usually June and November.
- Parkia Biglandulosa: A large, handsome tree, with pinnate foliage, peculiar flowers, and large pods.
- Peltophorum ferrugineum: A large tree of quick growth, with spreading branches, useful for avenues. Large golden vellow flowers borne in spikes.

- Plumeria acutifolia (Temple Tree): A small, spreading, succulent tree, with sweet-smelling white flowers. Flowers during deciduous period of March to April.
- P. rubra: Similar to above, flowers crimson.
- Poinciana regia (Flamboyante, Gold Mohur): A fairly large, showy tree of Madagascar, bearing large scarlet flowers. Suited to the low-country.
- Posoqueria longiflora: Medium sized tree, with white, sweet scented flowers. Of quick growth.
- Pterocarpus echinatus: Medium sized tree. bearing masses of pale yellow flowers. A very handsome tree in flower and in foliage.
- P. indicus (False Padouk): A large tree, of fairly rapid growth, flowers yellow.
- Saraca indica: A fairly large tree, of slow growth, flowers orange red.
- Spathodea campanulata: Tall tree, with large bell-shaped, bright orange red flowers. Flowers the greater part of the year, and also a useful shade tree.

Price: in bamboos, 50 cents per plant.

- Brownea coccinea: A low spreading tree of remarkable beauty, bearing numerous clusters of scarlet flowers. Foliage also very handsome.
- Jacaranda mimosaefolia: A beautiful tree, of medium height, with blue, bell-shaped flowers in great profusion.

 A handsome foliage tree, with finely cut feather leaves.
- Saraca declinata: A small tree, of handsome appearance, bearing sweet scented yellow to orange red flowers. An excellent flowering tree.
- Solanum macranthum (Potato Tree): A medium sized tree, of rapid growth, with large blue and white flowers. In flower the greater part of the year. Thrives best at medium elevations.
- Tabebuia spectabilis: A small tree, bearing a mass of golden yellow flowers when deciduous in February.

SECTION III.

ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS AND PERENNIALS.

Price: from beds, 20 cents per plant,

- Abutilon asiaticum (Anoda): Free flowering shrub, 3 to 4 ft. high, with small yellow flowers.
- Acalypha illustris Hort.: Medium sized shrub, with large leaves blotched with copper and crimson.
- A. magnifica Hort.: A handsome strong growing plant, with leaves pink and red.
- A. marginata: Leaves ovate, acuminate, with a distinct margin of rosy carmine.
- A. obovata: Similar to above in colour, leaves more rounded.
- A. hispida: Medium sized shrub, with long tail-like, scarlet flowers.
- A. torta: Leaves twisted, and tinted olive green.
- A. triumphans: Medium sized shrub, with large, crimson and green leaves.
- Allamanda Schottii: Straggling shrub, with beautiful, large yellow flowers.
- A. violacea: Similar to above in growth, flowers tinted purple.
- Amomum hemisphaericum: A large, handsome plant, leaves rising from the base. A good foliage plant.
- Alpinia vittata Hort.: A tall growing species, with yellow and green foliage.
- Ananas variegata (Variegated Pine Apple): Small perennial, with handsome, variegated leaves.
- Angelonia salicaiaefolia: Perennial, with deep bluish, scented flowers.
- Aphelandra pectinata: A strong growing shrub, bearing brilliant red flowers.
- A. tetragona: Shrub of medium height, with orange scarlet flowers.
- Aralia filicifolia: Very ornamental shrub, with fern-like feathery foliage.
- A. Guilfoylei: Moderate sized shrub, with blotched and creamy white-edged leaves.
- Ardisia crenata: Small shrub, with handsome white flowers and scarlet berries.

- Arundo Donax: An ornamental, variegated grass, attaining a height of 6 to 8 ft.
- Asystasia scandans (chelionoides): A handsome shrub, 3 to 4 ft. high, flowers reddish purple.
- A. travancorica: An extremely ornamental shrub, with tubular blue to purplish coloured flowers.
- Barleria cristata: A good flowering shrub, with handsome white and pink flowers.
- B. rosea Hort. : Similar to above, flowers pink-rose.
- B. strigosa: Small shrub, bearing pretty pale blue flowers.
- Calliandra haematocephala: Slow growing shrub, with pink flowers.
- Cephaelis pedunculata: A strong growing shrub, with cylindrical heads of cream-coloured flowers.
- Cestrum fasciculatum: Pretty shrub, 5 to 6 ft. high, with purplish red flowers.
- Clerodendron paniculatum: An erect shrub, 5 ft. in height, flowers bright scarlet, borne on a large terminal panicle.
- C. macrosiphon: Height about 4 ft., with snow-white tubular flowers.
- C. Minahassae: A handsome shrub, 6 to 8 ft. high, with white flowers.
- C. nutans: A pretty shrub, with whitish, drooping flowers.
- Clitoria cajanifolia: A shrub, 4 to 5 ft. in height, flowers pink.
- Crotons: About twenty unnamed varieties.
- Cuphea jorullensis: Dwarf flowering shrub, with pretty yellow flowers.
- Daedalacanthus nervosus: A small shrub, with pretty blue flowers.
- Desmodium latifolium: Moderate sized shrub, with masses of dark purplish flowers. Of robust growth.
- Dombeya natalensis: A loose shrub, bearing clusters of creamy white flowers.
- Dracaena spp.: Fine foliage shrubs, with variegated leaves.

 About twenty varieties.
- Duranta Plumieri: A moderate sized shrub, with pretty blue flowers borne in racemes.

- Duranta alba: Similar to above, flowers white.
- Ecbolium Linneanum: A small shrub, with greenish to light blue flowers.
- Eranthemum cinnabarinum: Small shrub, with flowers of terra cotta colour.
- E. discolor: Similar to above, bearing variegated and coloured leaves.
- Eupatorium ianthinum: Of moderate growth, bearing heads of lavender-coloured flowers.
- Euphorbia (Poinsettia) pulcherrima: A handsome shrub and well-known garden plant, with bright scarlet bracts.
- Excoecaria bicolor: A very ornamental shrub, with under surface of the leaf a purplish colour.
- Flemingia strobilifera: An ornamental shrub of thick growth, and bears peculiar greenish flowers.
- Gardenia florida: A dwarf shrub, with handsome, scented, white flowers.
- G. Thunbergia: A shrubby plant, with large, white, scented flowers.
- Goethea strictiflora: A strikingly pretty shrub, with reddish flowers borne on the stem.
- Graptophyllum hortense (Caricature Plant): A small shrub, with ornamental, variegated foliage.
- Gynura bicolor: Small-leaved perennial, with handsome, hairy leaves of light green and purplish colour.
- Hamelia patens: A moderate sized tree, with handsome foliage and masses of red flowers.
- Heeria macrostachya: Shrub of 4 to 5 ft. high, with white flowers.
- Heliconia Bihai (aureo-striata): Large plantain like plant, with leaves striped with yellow.
- H. brasiliensis (Lobster Claw): Similar to above, but leaves green. Bears bright red fruit spikes.
- H. aurantiaca (brevispatha): Similar to above, narrow green leaves, flowers white.
- H. pulverulenta: Of glaucous appearance on underside of the leaves.

Heliconia rubra: A handsome plant, with red veins in leaves. Hibiscus spp. (Shoe Flower): About forty varieties, named and unnamed.

Ixora alba: A handsome and showy, flowering shrub, flowers white.

I. coccinea: A small shrub, with bright red flowers.

 parviflora: Of moderate size, with handsome white flowers.

I. Pilgrimi: Similar to above, small white flowers.

I. rosea Hort. : A handsome variety, flowers rosy pink.

Jacobinia coccinea: A dwarf shrub, with scarlet flowers.

Jasminum pubescens: Semi scandent, with pretty white, scented flowers.

J. Sambac: A moderate sized shrub, with white, sweet scented flowers.

Jatropha Cureas (Physic Nut): A moderate sized shrub, of quick growth, used as a support for Vanilla.

Malpighia coccifera: Of slow growth, suitable for low hedges or for edging.

M. glabra (Barbados Cherry): Of slow growth, very pretty when in flower, suitable for hedges. Flowers rose colour to purple.

Malvaviscus arboreus: A shrub, 4 to 6 ft. high, very woody, with small scarlet flowers.

Maranta Lindeni: An ornamental perennial, with beautifully marked leaves.

M. zebrina: As above, leaves with prominent dark stripes.

Melastoma malabathricum: A medium sized shrub, with pretty pink flowers.

Miconia pulverulenta: A handsome shrub, leaves showing prominent veins.

Murraya exotica: A large shrub, with scented white flowers.

Notonia grandiflora: A small herbaceous plant, with whitish leaves, flowers yellow.

Ocimum viride (Mosquito Plant): Similar to the Sweet

Osbeckia aspera: A small shrub, with pink flowers.

Oxyanthus tubiflorus: A moderate sized shrub, with corymba of yellow flowers.

- Oxyanthus natalensis: Medium sized shrub, with white flowers.
- Palicourea gardenioides: A shrub, 6 to 7 ft. in height, flowers
- Panax Balfouri: A handsome foliage shrub, leaves yellow and green.
- P. cochleatum: A well-known garden plant, suitable for hedges.
- P. crispatum: A handsome shrub, with elegant pinnate leaves.
- P. fruticosum: A quick grower, with handsome feathery foliage.
- P. tricochleatum: Similar to above, much-divided leaves.
- Pavetta indica: A small shrub, with white flowers.
- P. madagascariensis: More dwarf than above, flowers pinkish.
- Pedilanthus tithymaloides: A succulent shrub, flowers purplish colour.
- Pentas carnea: A pretty compact growing shrub, with pinkish flowers.
- Phyllanthus myrtifolius: A handsome shrub, with small myrtle-like leaves, flowers purplish red.
- Plumbago capensis: A scandent shrub, with pale blue flowers.
- P. rosea (coccinea): A shrub of erect growth, bearing rosy scarlet flowers.
- P. zeylanica: A scandent shrub, bearing white flowers.
- Plumeria acutifolia: A small succulent tree or large shrub, bearing scented, white to cream flowers.
- Reinwardtia tetragyna: Low growing shrub, with yellow flowers.
- R. trigyna: Very similar to above.
- Rhodomyrtus tomentosa: A handsome foliaged shrub, bearing bright pink flowers in profusion.
- Rondeletia speciosa: A pretty plant, flowers scarlet.
- Ruellia macrantha: A showy perennial, with purplish flowers.
- Russellia juncea: A useful shrub, and very free flowering; flowers scarlet.
- R. sarmentosa: Similar to above, flowers pink.

- Salvia splendens: A useful perennial, bearing bright scarlet flowers.
- Sanchezia glaucophylla: A handsome plant, bearing large leaves with white bands,
- S. longiflora: A useful shrub, with pretty magenta flowers.
- S. nobilis: A handsome foliage plant, flowers yellow.
- Serissa foetida: A small shrub, with small white flowers.
- Sophora tomentosa: A very ornamental shrub, with whitish foliage.
- S. violacea: A moderate sized shrub, with violet blue flowers.
- Strobilanthes coloratus: A small shrub, with purplish flowers.
- S. Dyerianus: A herbaceous plant, with pretty variegated foliage.
- Stromanthe sanguinea: Herbaceous plant, with crimson flowers.
- Tabernaemontana coronaria (Adam's Apple): A moderate sized shrub, flowers white and scented.
- Tecoma capensis: Of dwarf habit, bearing scarlet flowers.
- T. stans: A strong grower, bearing handsome yellow flowers.
- Thunbergia erecta: A dwarf shrub, with dark blue flowers, and suitable for a hedge plant.
- T. affinis: A pretty shrub, bearing violet-coloured flowers.
- Thyrsacanthus nitidus: A moderate grower, with pendulous crimson flowers.
- Wormia Burbidgei: A tall, strong growing shrub or small tree, with pretty yellow flowers.

Price: Rs. 3 per dozen from bed.

- Brunfelsia americana: An extremely handsome shrub, with pale yellow flowers.
- B. uniflora (= Francisea bicolor): A shrub, 4 to 6 ft. high, with pretty blue and white, scented flowers.
- Carludovica palmata: A useful plant, bearing large, handsome, palm-like leaves.
- Clerodendron Bakeri: A strikingly handsome plant, with large bunches of pure white flowers (February and March).

- Dombeya Mastersii: A moderate sized shrub, bearing creamcoloured flowers, free flowering.
- Kopsia fruticosa: A handsome shrub, with pretty pink flowers, very fine flowering.
- Lagerstroemia indica: A strong and handsome shrub, with pretty pink flowers, grows best in low-country.
- Medinilla magnifica: A handsome shrub, with very pretty flowers.
- Memecylon umbellatum: A moderate sized shrub, of handsome appearance, bearing deep blue flowers.
- Montanoa bipinnatifida (Tree Daisy): A shrubby tree, with a profusion of white flowers.
- Mussaenda erythrophylla: Medium sized shrub, of handsome appearance, bearing bright scarlet
- Panax Victoriae: A handsome foliage plant, with white frayed and dissected leaves.
- Phyllanthus myrtifolius: An ornamental, small-leaved shrub, of slow growth, flowers purplish red.
- Plumeria rubra: A strong growing shrub or small tree, bearing crimson flowers.
- Phyllanthus nervosus: A moderate grower, leaves mottled with white and partially veined with green.
- Randia macrantha: A handsome shrub, with long, tubular,
- R. maculata: Of stronger growth than the former, flowers purplish white.
- R. Mussaenda: Similar to macrantha, with small flowers, free flowering.
- Rondeletia odorata: A moderate sized shrub, of free growth, with scented pink flowers.
- Stemmadenia bella: A handsome plant, bearing scented white flowers.
- some mauve flowers.
- Proskinnera spectabilis: A small growing shrub, of delicate growth, bearing pretty mauve flowers.

SECTION IV.

ORNAMENTAL CLIMBERS.

Price: from beds, 25 cents per plant.

- Allamanda cathartica: Quick growing, bearing yellow flowers.
- A. Hendersonii: Quick growing and free flowering. Large vellow flowers.
- Antigonon alba: A fairly quick grower, bearing a profusion of white flowers in loose racemes.
- A. guatamalense: Elegant climber, of quick growth, flowers rose pink.
- A. leptopus: Quick grower, bearing masses of pink flowers.
- Aristolochia elegans: Very pretty climber, flowers borne on long pedicels. Reddish purple.
- A. leuconeura : Leaves white veined, flowers purple brown.
- A. ridicula: Flowers two horned, resembling donkey ears.

 Greenish brown.
- A. ringens: Of light green foliage, and flowers purplish green.
- A. saccata: Pouch-like flowers, small, purplish red.
- Bignonia magnifica: A handsome, vigorous climber, large flowers; mauve to purplish crimson.
- B. purpurea: Strong climber, free flowering, purple flowers.
- B. unguis: A lovely climber, with bright yellow flowers. Very showy when in flower.
- B. venusta (Tanga-poo): A very elegant elimber, flowers pale purple to magenta.
- Bougainvillea glabra: Strong grower, bracts purple to rose pink.
- B. Sanderiana: Strong and quick grower, flowers rosy red.
- Camoensia maxima: A vigorous and handsome climber, flowers white, turning to pale yellow. Sweet scented.
- Cardiospermum barbicaule: A handsome creeper, with leaves dissected and white flowers.
- Cissus discolor: A delicate climber, with very attractive and vine-like foliage.
- Clerodendron speciosum: A handsome and ornamental climber, flowers scarlet.

- Clerodendron Thomsonae: A medium strong growing climber, with creamy white and scarlet flowers.
- Clitorea Ternatea: A very pretty climber, flowers blue and white.
- Faradaya splendida: A strong growing creeper, with pale white to cream flowers.
- Ipomoea carnea: A strong scandent, shrubby climber, large light pink flowers.
- I. sidaefolia: A scandent, quick growing climber.
- Learii (Morning Glory): An evergreen, handsome climber, with large purplish blue to pale blue flowers.
- Jacquemontia violacea: A slender climber, bearing delicate blue flowers with white centre.
- Jasminum revolutum (Saman-pitcha): A shrubby climber, with beautiful yellowish flowers.
- J. grandiflorum: A shrubby climber, hardly requires support.
 Flowers white, and reddish underneath.
- J. pubescens: An attractive climber, with fine white flowers.
- Passiflora laurifolia (Jamaica Honey-suckle): A strong growing and ornamental climber, flowers red to violet.
- P. vitifolia: A handsome climber, with vine-like foliage, flowers scarlet.
- Porana paniculata (Bridal Boquet): A strong, robust climber, bearing creamy white flowers in profusion.
- P. volubilis (Horse Tail Creeper): A strong grower, similar to above, but flowers large and greenish white.
- Pothos aurea (Colombo Agent): An epiphytic climber, with large yellowish leaves.
- Quisqualis indica (Rangoon Creeper): A woody climber, with orange red flowers. Very showy.
- Solanum Seaforthianum (Potato Creeper): A slender climber, with pretty blue flowers and red berries.
- S. Wendlandii (Giant Potato): A rampart vigorous climber, and very showy, flowers pale blue, borne in large bunches.
- Stigmaphyllon convolvulaefolium (Cherry Tribe): A free flowering climber, with a profusion of yellow flowers.

Tecoma australis: A pretty climber, flowers creamy white.

T. jasminoides: An attractive climber, with waxy-pink and white flowers.

Thunbergia laurifolia: A quick grower, bearing large pale blue or mauve flowers.

Tristellateia australasiae: A handsome, free flowering climber, flowers yellow, very attractive.

Price: from beds, 50 cents per plant.

Aristolochia gigas (Fly Catcher): An attractive climber, flowers very large, rich brown and spotted.

Congea tomentosa: A handsome woody climber, bearing large trusses of delicate pink flowers.

Ipomoea Briggsii: A very showy, free flowering climber, flowers crimson.

Petrea volubilis: A strong woody climber, bearing large racemes of pretty blue-violet flowers.

Hoya carnosa: An evergreen climber, with pretty wax-like flowers.

SECTION V.

PALMS.

Prices: in bamboos, 25 cents per plant; from beds, 20 cents per plant.

Archontophoenix Cunninghamii: Feather-leaved palm. Areca concinna: do. do. A. glandiformis: A. triandra: do. do. Calyptrocalyx spicatus: Caryota urens (Toddy Palm): do. do. Chrysalidocarpus lutescens: do. Cocos plumosa: do. Dypsis madagascariensis: Elaeis guineensis (Oil Palm): do. Euterpe edulis: do. Howea Forsteriana: do.

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Latania Commersonii: Fan-	leaved palm.						
Licuala spinosa :	do.						
Livistona australis :	do.						
L. chinensis:	do.						
L. olivaeformis :	do.						
L. rotundifolia :	do.						
Loxococcus rupicola: Feather-leaved palm.							
Martenezia caryotaefolia : Fe	eather-leaved palm						
Nephrosperma Van Houttear	18 : Feather-leaved notes						
Oncosperma fasciculatum (K	atu-kitul): Feather-leaved palm.						
Oreodoxa oleracea (Cabbage	Palm): do.						
O. regia (Royal Palm):	do.						
Phoenix zeylanica (Indi):	do.						
Pinanga paradoxa:	do.						
Ptychosperma angustifolia:	do.						
P. MacArthurii:	do.						
P. perbrevis :	do.						
Rhopaloblaste hexandra:	do.						
Sabal glaucescens : Fan-leav	ed palm.						
S. Palmetto (Palmetto Palm): Fan-leaved naim						
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Paine via hamit							
	os, 50 cents per plant.						
Acanthorhiza aculeata : Feat	ther-leaved palm.						
Archontophoenix Alexandrae	do.						
Dictyosperma album :	do.						
D. distichum:	do.						
Drymophloeus Rumphii:	do.						
Heterospathe elata:	$d\alpha$.						
Licuala gracilis : Fan-leaved palm.							
Metroxylon Rumphii (Prickly Sagu Palm): Feather-leaved							
	palm.						
M. Sagu (Sagu Palm): Feath	er-leaved palm.						
Phoenicophorum schellarum : Fan-leaved palm.							
Pinanga patula : Feather-leaved palm.							
Rhopaloblaste singaporensis: Feather-leaved palm.							
Sabal umbraculiferum : Fan-leaved palm.							
Wallichia caryotoides: Feather-leaved palm.							
W. densiflora:	do.						

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SECTION VI.

FRUIT TREES.

Price: in bamboos, 25 cents per plant.

- Aberia Gardnerii (Ceylon Gooseberry): Shrubby tree, with purple berries. An excellent fruit for jam and preserve.
- Anona muricata (Soursop): Shrubby tree, large green fruit.

 An excellent fruit under good cultivation.
- A. reticulata (Bullock's Heart): Small tree, large heart-shaped and yellowish fruits. A useful fruit of average quality.
- A. squamosa (Custard Apple): Shrubby tree, large greenish fruits, sweet, and of scaly appearance.
- Averrhoa Bilimbi (Cucumber Tree): Small tree, long narrow fruits. Suitable for jam and preserve.
- A. Carambola (Karambola): Small tree, fruit very juicy and sweet. Also an ornamental tree.
- Canarium commune (Java Almond): Large tree, fruits oval in shape, similar to almonds, the kernels having an excellent flavour.
- Carica Papaya (Papaw): Herbaceous tree, fruits vary from 6 in. to 14 in. in length, oval and round. An excellent dessert fruit, the source of Papaine.
- Chrysobalanus Icaco (Coco Plum): Shrubby tree, bears fruit not unlike plum. Useful for conserves,
- ChrysophyllumCainito(StarApple): Largetree.Purplefruit, used for jellies chiefly. An excellent ornamental tree.
- Citrus Aurantium (Sweet Orange); Small tree or shrub.

 yields excellent fruit with good cultivation.

 Prefers the drier districts.
- C. decumana (Pumelo): Small tree, fruits of large size, chiefly used for jam, &c. Some varieties, however. yield a good edible fruit.
- C. Limetta (Sweet Lime): A useful edible fruit with a sweetish
- Clausena Wampi (Wampee): Small tree, yellow berries, acidused in preserves.
- Cynometra cauliflora (Nam-nam): Shrubby tree, large fleshy fruits borne on the trunk of the tree. Used for stewing and pickling.

- Durio zibethinus (Durian): Large tree, enormous spiny fruits, of which the cream-coloured pulp is edible.
- Eugenia Jambos (Rose Apple): Medium sized tree, bears
 quantities of rose-coloured fruits. Used in
 preserves.
- E. uniflora (Michelii) (Brazil Cherry): Shrubby tree, fruits medium size, reddish, acid but edible, and used in preserves and for jelly.
- Garcinia Cambogia (Goraka): Medium sized tree, bearing large, round, ribbed fruits, orange colour, and acid. Used in curries, &c.
- G. Xanthochymus (Cochin-goraka): Shrubby pyramid tree, fruits vellow and of acid taste.
- Lansium domesticum (Langsat): Mcdium sized tree, bearing numerous clusters of yellow berries, and has an acid juicy pulp. Considered to be a good edible fruit.
- Mangifera indica (Mango): Large tree, bears quantities of edible fruits. Used also for chutneys, &c.

 Many varieties in cultivation.
- Morus indica (Indian Mulberry): Shrubby tree, bears quantities of small, deep red-coloured fruits. Suitable for jellies or preserves.
- Nephelium lappaceum (Rambutan): Large spreading tree, fruits red and yellow, produced in large clusters. An excellent edible fruit.
- Passiflora quadrangularis (Granadilla): Climber, bears large greenish yellow fruits, which contain the sweet acid pulp. Edible.
- Persea gratissima (Avocado pear): Small tree, bears large green fruits. Used for dessert and for salads.
- Photinia japonica (Loquat): Medium sized tree, the large oval yellow fruits have a sweet acid flavour. An edible fruit. Used for stewing also.
- Psidium Cattleyanum (China Guava): Shrubby tree, round purplish fruits. Used for preserves and jellies. More suited to up-country regions.
- P. Guyava (Guava): Small tree, bears yellow coloured fruits.

 An excellent fruit under good cultivation.

 Used for stewing and for jellies.

- Spondias mangifera (Hog-plum): Medium sized tree, bears acid fruits. Suitable for use as a vegetable when pickled.
- Tamarindus indica (Tamarind): Large tree, with long brownish
 pods which have a sweet acid taste. Used to
 a large extent for flavouring chutneys, &c.
- Terminalia Catappa (Country or Indian Almond): Large tree, with large fruits, the kernels being edible and used for dessert. Bears two crops annually.
- Vangueria edulis (Voa-vanga): Small tree, with large, round, yellowish green fruits, the sweet acid juice used for flavouring.

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- Achras sapota (Sapodilla): Small tree, with large brown fruits of sugary taste when ripe. An excellent fruit, more suited to the low-country.
- Aegle Marmelos (Bael Fruit): Small spiny tree, fruits large with hard woody shells. An edible fruit, and of medicinal value.
- Anacardium occidentale (Cashewnut): Medium sized tree; the acid pulp is used for preserves. The kernel of the nut is edible and used in confectionery.
- Feronia elephantum (Wood Apple): Medium sized tree, bearing large round fruits with hard shell, the mealy pulp being aromatic and used for jelly; also yields a gum similar to Gum Arabic.
- Flacourtia inermis (Lovi-lovi): Small tree, bears brilliant red fruits similar to cherries. Excellent for jellies and preserves. Yields two crops annually.
- Garcinia Mangostana (Mangosteen): Moderate sized tree, with globular fruits, purple when ripe. An excellent and delicious fruit.
- Mainmea americana (Mammee Apple): Medium sized tree, large fruits with thick brown rind. The sweet and aromatic pulp is edible, and is also preserved in sugar.
- Nephelium Litchi (Litchi): Shrubby tree, bears clusters of dull brown fruits when ripe. An excellent fruit, and used for dessert.

SECTION VII

CANNAS.

Price: from beds, Re. 1 per dozen.

About forty named varieties.

SECTION VIII.

ROSES.

Price: from beds, 25 cents per plant.

About twenty-four named varieties.

SECTION IX.

SEEDS.

Price: 25 cents per packet.

Shade and Flowering Trees, Shrubs, &c.

Available during the Month of January.

Albizzia stipulata. Bauhinia purpurea. Berrya Ammonilla. Brownea coccinea. B. grandiceps. Caesalpinia pulcherrima. Cananga odorata. Capparis zeylanica. Cassia nodosa. Chrysobalanus Icaco. Chrysophyllum Cainito. C. monopyrenum. Cola acuminata. Cynometra cauliflora. Derris dalbergioides. Desmodiam gyrans.

Dimorphandra Mora. Elaeocarpus edulis. Jacaranda mimosaefolia. Myroxylon toluiferum (Balsamum). Peltophorum ferrugineum. Pericopsis Mooniana. Pithecolobium Saman. Poinciana regia. Pterocarpus indicus. Spathodea campanulata (nilotica). Swietenia macrophylla. Tamarindus indica. Vangueria edulis.

Available during the Month of February.

Anodendron paniculatum. Averrhoa Carambola. Baphia nitida. Brownea coccinea. B. macrophylla. Camoensia maxima. Chrysobalanus Icaco. Chrysophyllum Cainito. Cola acuminata. Cyathocalyx spicatus. Elaeocarpus edulis. Erythrina poianthes. Flacourtia inermis. Harpullia cupanioides. H. pendula. Hura crepitans.

Millingtonia hortensis.
Noronhia emarginata.
Ochrosia borbonica.
Peltophorum ferrugineum.
Pericopsis Mooniana.
Poinciana regia.
Posoqueria longiflora.
Ravenala madagascariensis.
Saraca indica.
Sideroxylon dulcificum.
Spathodea campanulata.
Stereulia foetida.
Tecoma stans.
Vangueria edulis.
Wagatea spicata.

Available during the Month of March.

Adenanthera pavonina. Caesalpinia pulcherrima. Cassia grandis. C. nodosa. C. siamea. Casuarina equisetifolia. C. Rumphiana. Chrysobalanus Icaco Chrysophyllum Cainito. C. monopyrenum. Cola acuminata. Dysoxylum binectariferum. Erythrina lithosperma. E. velutina. Filicium decipiens. Flacourtia inermis. Guazuma tomentosa.

Manihot Glaziovii.
Myristica fragrans.
Noronhia emarginata.
Ochroma Lagopus.
Ochrosia acuminata.
Parkia biglandulosa.
P. Roxburghii.
Pentadesma butyracca.
Pericopsis Mooniana.
Pithecolobium cauliflorum.
Poinciana regia.
Randia maculata.
Sideroxylon dulcificum.
Sterculia foetida.
Wagatea spicata.

Heritiera littoralis.

Available during the Month of April.

Chrysophyllum Roxburghii. Cyathocalyx zeylanicus. Funtumia elastica. Myristica fragrans. Oroxylum indicum. Peltophorum ferrugineum Pterocarpus echinatus, P. indicus, Randia maculata, Tabernaemontana crassa.

Available during the Month of May.

Vateria acuminata. Artocarpus integrifolia. Brownea coccinea. B. grandiceps. B. macrophylla. Castanospermum australe. Casuarina equisctifolia. Cola acuminata. Couroupita guianensis. Cynometra ramiflora. Elaeocarpus serratus. Enterolobium cyclocarpum. Eugenia caryophyllata. E. grandis. Garcinia comea. Gliricidia maculata.

Harpullia pendula.
Lagerstroemia Flos-reginae.
Mangifera indica.
Michelia Champaca,
Myristica fragrans.
Myroxylon toluiferum (Balsamum).
Ochroma Lagopus.
Ormosia dasycarpa.
Pentadesma butyracea.
Pericopsis Mooniana.
Pithecolobium Saman.
Poinciana regia.
Saraca indica.
Tamarindus indica.

Available during the Month of June.

Artocarpus Lakoocha.
Bassia longifolia.
Brownea Ariza.
B. coccinea.
B. grandiceps.
B. macrophylla.
Castanospermum australe.
Chrysobalanus Icaco.
Clerodendron Bakeri.
Cola acuminata.
Eugenia caryophyllata.
E. malaccensis.

Flacourtia inermis.
Harpullia pendula.
Jacaranda mimosaefolia.
Lonchocarpus latifolius.
Melia Azadarach.
Myristica fragrans.
Ochna Kirkii.
Parkia Roxburghii.
Pithecolobium Saman.
Posoqueria longiflora.
Saraca indica.

Available during the Month of July.

Abrus precatorius. Dipterocarpus zevlanicus. Anacardium occidentale. Doona nervosa. Artocarpus integrifolia. Elaeocarpus serratus. A. nobilis. Eugenia sp. Bassia longifolia. Jacaranda mimosaefolia. Brownea Ariza. Macadamia ternifolia. B. coccinea. Michelia Champaca. B. grandiceps. Nephelium lappaceum. Persea gratissima. B. macrophylla. Cassia auriculata. Pimenta officinalis. C. nodosa. Polvalthia coffacoides. Posoqueria longiflora. Castanospermum australe. Chrysobalanus Icaco. Rheedia laterifolia. Cinnamomum zeylanicum. Sandoricum indicum. Clerodendron Bakeri. Saraca indica. Cola acuminata. Shorea brevipetiolaris. Croton Tiglium.

Available during the Month of August.

Adenanthera pavonina. Aleurites triloba. Amoora Rohituka. Artocarpus Lakoocha. Balanocarpus zeylanicus. Barringtonia speciosa. Cananga odorata. Castanospermum australe. Cinnamomum zeylanicum. Clusea rosea. Crescentia Cujete. Cupania sp. Cynometra cauliflora. Doona macrophylla. Durio zibethinus. Elaeocarpus edulis. Eugenia corymbosa. Flacourtia inermis. Garcinia Mangostana. Harpullia cupanioides. Jacaranda mimosaefolia.

Lysidice rhodostegia. Macadamia ternifolia. Mesna ferrea. M. Thwaitesii. Myristica fragrans. Nephelium lappaceum. Ochna Kirkii. Peltophorum ferrugineum. Phyllanthus indicus. Pithecolobium cauliflorum. Posoqueria longiflora. Psidium Guyava. Santalum album. Saraca indica. Shorea brevipetiolaris. S. lissophylla, S. oblongifolia. Solanum macranthum. Sterculia Balanghas. Terminalia Catappa.

Available during the Month of September.

Aberia Gardnerii. Abrus precatorius. Adenanthera bicolor. Alphonsea lutea. Artocarpus rigida. Castanospermum australe. Chrysobalanus Icaco. Dimorphandra Mora. Dipterocarpus zeylanicus. Doona nervosa. Garcinia Mangostana. G. Morella. G. Xanthochymus. Jacaranda mimosaefolia. Joannesia Princeps. Kleinhovia hospita. Lansium domesticum. Mesua ferrea.

Michelia Champaca. Nephelium lappaceum. N. longana. Pometia eximia. Psidium Guyava. Salacea reticulata. Samadara indica. Saraca indica. Shorea lissophylla. S. oblongifolia. S. sp. Sideroxylon dulcificum. Stemmadenia bella. Swietenia macrophylla. Tecoma capensis. Walsura Gardneri.

M. Thwaitesii.

Available during the Month of October.

Adenanthera pavonina. Averrhoa Carambola. Azadaracta indica. Bauhinia purpurea. B. tomentosa. B. triandra. Calliandra haematocephalla. Cassia grandis. Cupania sp. Derris dalbergioides. Diospyros Embryopteris. Dipterocarpus zeylanicus. Dysoxylon binectariferum. Eugenia spicata. Flacourtia inermis. Garcinia Morella. Harpullia cupanioides. Lagerstroemia Flos-reginae. Lysidice Rhodostegia.

Macadamia ternifolia. Myristica fragrans. M. Horsfieldii. Pangium edule. Parkia Roxburghii. Parmentiera cereifera. Peltophorum ferrugineum. Pithecolobium cauliflorum. Poinciana regia. Samadara indica. Santàlum album. Sapindus erectus. Saraca declinata. S. indica. Salacea reticulata. Sideroxylon dulcificum. Swietenia Mahagoni. Vitex punctata.

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Available during the Month of November.

Amoora Rohituka. Jacaranda mimosaefolia. Antigonon guatamalensis. Myristica fragrans. Saraca declinata. Bixa Orellana. Stemmadenia bella. Cassia bacillaris. Chrysobalanus Icaco. Stifftia chrysantha. Styrax Benzoin. Crotolaria juncea. Tabernaemontana dichotoma. Desmodium gyrans. Tectona grandis. Dimorphandra Mora. Thevetia nerifolia. Dracaena sp. Erythrina poianthes.

Available during the Month of December.

Adenanthera bicolor. Eugenia malaccensis. A. pavonina. Garcinia Xanthochymus. Bauhinia purpurea. Gleditschia sinensis. Macadamia ternifolia. Camoensia maxima. Chrysobalanus Icaco. Pericopsis Mooniana. Poinciana regia. Chrysophyllum monopyrenum Saraca indica. Cinnamomum Cassia. Dimorphandra Mora. Tectona grandis. Trachylobium verrucosum. Elaeocarpus edulis. E. Ganitras.

Palm Seeds.

Usually available during the Month of January.

ArecaCatechu(Betel-nutPalm)
Calyptrocalyx spicatus.
Caryota urens (Kitul).
Elaeis guineensis (African Oil

Available during the Month of February.

Available during the
Archontophoenix Cunninghamii.
Areca glandiformis.
A. triandra.
Calyptrocalyx spicatus.
Caryota urens.
Cocos plumosa.
Dictyosperma album.
Euterpe oleracea.
E. edulis.
Livistona chinensis.

Palm).

L. inermis.
L. rotundifolia.
Nephrosperma Van Houtteana.
Oreodoxa oleracea.
O. regia.
Ptychosperma angustifolia.
P. MacArthurii.
Rhopaloblaste singaporensis.
Sabal glaucescens.

Available during the Month of March.

Areca glandiformis.
A. triandra.
Howea Forsteriana.
Livistona chinensis.

Pinanga patula. Ptychosperma MacArthurii. Sabal glaucescens. Wallichia caryotoides.

Available during the Month of April.

Acrocomia sclerocarpa.
Bentinckia Condapanna.
Chrysalidocarpus lutescens.
Licuala gracilis.

L. peltata.L. spinosa.Pinanga patula.

Available during the Month of May.

Acrocomia sclerocarpa.
Areca concinna.
Bentinckia Condapanna.
Chrysalidocarpus lutescens.
Dypsis madagascariensis.
Howea Forsteriana.

Licuala spinosa.
Livistona australis.
Nephrosperma Van Houtteana.
Pinanga paradoxa.

Available during the Month of June.

Areca concinna.
Bentinckia Condapanna.
Dypsis madagascariensis.
Elaelis guineensis.
Lieuala gracilis.
Livistona australis.

Loxococcus rupicola.
Oreodoxa regia.
Pinanga paradoxa.
Ptychosperma angustifolia.
P. perbrevis.

Available during the Month of July.

Archontophoenix Cunninghamii.
Chrysalidocarpus lutescens.
Elaelis guineensis.
Latania Commersonii.
Livistona chinensis.
L. olivaeformis. Loxococcus rupicola.
Martinezia caryotaefolia.
Ptychosperma angustifolia.
P. MacArthurii.
Rhopaloblaste hexandra.
Wallichia densiflora.

Available during the Month of August.

Cocos plumosa. Dypsis madagascariensis. Heterospathe elata. Latania Commersonii. Livistona chinensis.

Martinezia caryotaefolia.

Wallichia densiflora.

Available during the Month of September.

Archontophoenix Cunninghamii.
Calyptrocalyx spicatus.
Chrysalidocarpus lutescens.
Cocos plumosa.
Dietyosperma fibrosum.
Didymosperma distichum.
Drymophloeus Rumphii.
Dypsis madagascariensis. Elaeis guineensis.
Heterospathe elata.
Howea Forsteriana.
Livistona chinensis.
L. australis.
Oncosperma filamentosum.
Ptychosperma angustifolia.
P. perbrevis.

Available during the Month of October.

Bentinckia Condapanna. Calyptrocalyx spicatus. Dictyosperma album. Drymophloeus Rumphii. Dypsis madagascariensis. Elaeis guincensis. Euterpe edulis. Livistona australis.

Nephrosperma Van Houtteana.
Oncosperma fasciculatum.
O. filamentosum.
Pinanga patula.
Ptychosperma MacArthurii.
Sabal filamentosa.
Wallichia caryotoides.

Available during the Month of November.

Bentinckia Condapanna, Borassus flabellifer. Elaeis guineensis. Ptychosperma MacArthurii. Rhopaloblaste singaporensis.

Available during the Month of December.

Borassus flabellifer.
Calyptrocalyx spicatus.
Dictyosperma album.
Drymophloeus Rumphii.
Dypsis madagascariensis.
Elaeis guineensis.
Euterpe edulis.
Howea Forsteriana.
Latania Commersonii.

Livistona australis.

Nephrosperma Van Houtteana.

Oncosperma fasciculatum.

O. filamentosum.

Pinanga patula.

Ptychosperma MacArthurii.

Rhopaloblaste singaporensis.

Sabal umbraculiferum.

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